IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:
  Barry Thornton, et al.

Serial No.: 09/072,397

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For: COMPUTER NETWORK
     HAVING COMMONLY LOCATED
     COMPUTING SYSTEMS

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 12, 1999, having a shortened statutory period for response which expires on July 12, 1999, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Specification:

Page 1, line 6, delete "09/_____ (Atty. Docket No. 10393.42)" and substitute --09/072,320-- therefor.

line 7, delete "09/_____ (Atty. Docket" and substitute --09/072,382-- therefor.

line 8, delete "No. 10393.47)".

line 11, delete "09/_____ (Atty. Docket No. 10393.61) and substitute --09/072,216-- therefor.

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